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In re the Application of:

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Application No.: 09/449,575

Examiner: Dzung D. Tran

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING DESTINATION-TO-SOURCE
PROTECTION SWITCH SETUP IN OPTICAL NETWORK TOPOLOGIES

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 8, 2004

Sir:

The Official Action dated April 8, 2004 has been received and carefully noted. The period for response, having been extended from July 8, 2004 until October 8, 2004, by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, the following remarks are submitted as full and complete response thereto.

Remarks are submitted on page 2.